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MEMORANDUM TO EXECUTIVE FOR INSPECTIONS AND SECURITY

THROUGH: Chief, Investigations Branch

SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

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As suggested in memorandum dated 17 July 1947 from Chief, Investigations Branch, submitted herewith is request for exception to paragraph 2a of CIG Memorandum #27 for the appointment of [REDACTED] to the FBIB

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As pointed out in previous memoranda, the standards for FBIB linguists are necessarily unusually high, requiring not only complete command of English and the foreign language in question, but also a thorough knowledge of current international affairs and a detailed understanding of a particular area. In the case of certain languages, notably Chinese, FBIB experience has been that staff procurement is so difficult that it is necessary in some instances to employ aliens to fulfill its mission adequately.

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[REDACTED] is an American citizen, and it is recommended that unless more positive indications of doubtful loyalty are developed by investigation, the situation of his relatives not be allowed to stand in the way of his appointment.

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With reference to Section 8 of his Personal History Statement, [REDACTED] reports by teletype that he has no known relatives falling into this category beyond those listed in Sections 3 through 7. A copy of this message is attached.

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Acting Chief, FBIB

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